Saif Ali

Experienced senior software engineer adept in React, JavaScript, Java, and Node.js. Proficient in Agile methodologies. Led fintech application development, conducted code reviews, and achieved top-rated status on Upwork.

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Senior Software Engineer   2021 – Present
i2c, Lahore, Pakistan

- Developed and maintained **SaaS** banking applications built with **Core Java**, including new module development, bug fixing, QA, and code reviews. Used by **500+ banks** worldwide, serving millions of daily customers.
- **Worked as a lead** on a new **employee management system** for 500+ companies using **React** and **Springboot**. Centralized functions into a powerful portal, enhancing efficiency. Leveraged Next.js for server-side rendering, reducing load times by 30% for improved user experience.
- Leading the creation of an **OpenAI-based ChatGPT-like chatbot** for the fintech domain, seamlessly integrated into i2c's legacy banking apps using React.js, featuring an intuitive ChatGPT-style user interface.
- **Mentored junior developers**, providing support and conducting **code reviews** resulting in high code quality standards which led to a **20% decrease** in bugs.
- Led seamless migration of **15+ client websites**, collaborating with cross-functional teams to modify templates and features based on specific requirements.
- Applied **robust security** and **data protection** measures mitigating CSRF, SQL Injection, and XSS leading to more secure services and 30% fewer security bugs.
- Developed a robust set of **unit tests** achieving 98% code coverage, significantly reducing the number of bugs and enhancing overall product reliability.
- Translated **Figma** designs into production-ready code using modern UI frameworks, ensuring an accurate representation of visual designs and delivering visually appealing user interfaces.

Web Developer (Top Rated)   2020 – 2021
Upwork, Remote

- Recognized as a **Top-rated** freelancer with a track record of delivering web projects on time, earning 5-star reviews for exceptional work, and maintaining a **100% job success** score.
- Engineered a **Hospital Management System** using **React** and **NodeJs**, reducing administrative tasks through automation and optimizing workflows. Improved appointment scheduling efficiency with a real-time calendar system, ensuring smooth coordination between doctors and clients.
- Developed a portal for a **Veterinary Clinic** using **React** and **NodeJs** for seamless pet appointment bookings. Integrated secure Stripe payment processing. Implemented Amazon Chime for veterinarian video calls, enhancing accessibility and reducing in-person appointments by 40%
- Worked on developing a **Chrome extension** for Linkedin Recruiters.Employed DOM manipulation to introduce innovative functionalities within LinkedIn, including a kanban board for candidate tracking, an auto-like/repost feature for future posts, and an average salary indicator.
- Revamped extension's UI with **pixel-perfect design**, enabling seamless connection requests, messaging, and notifications within LinkedIn. Significantly enhanced user efficiency, saving 90% of time on these tasks.

EDUCATION

National University Of Computer and Emerging Sciences, Lahore, PK
Bachelor of Science — Computer Science

SKILLS & OTHER

Tools and Frameworks: Java, React, NextJs, Typescript, Node, Javascript, Databases (MySQL, Mongo, PostgreSQL, Firebase, DynamoDB), HTML, CSS, Redux, Sagas, Figma, LDAP, JPA, JWT, Git, Jira, UI/UX, ES6, Bitbucket, JQuery, Version Control, Apache Struts, Selenium, JUnit, Log4j, Microservices, RESTful APIs, Locomotive, GSAP, Framer Motion, Tailwind